

PRESIDENT: The Chair would like to suggest that you merely handle it with the Speaker.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 257 introduced by the Government, Military, and Veterans Affairs Committee at the request of the Governor relating to state agencies. Read LB 257. Mr. President, there are committee amendments by Senator Rasmussen's Government Committee.

PRESIDENT: Senator Rasmussen, are you ready on this? Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, there is absolutely no way that we can get through this bill in 34 minutes, no way.

PRESIDENT: I couldn't hear you Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: There is no way that we can dispose of this bill in 34 minutes. It's very lengthy and I would suggest we start on it tomorrow.

PRESIDENT: Is there some way you can put this in the criminal code so it can get some attention in the morning?

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: I could try that in the morning. I would suggest we do this though when we have more than 34 minutes.

PRESIDENT: Is there an objection? This bill will lay over. 180, Senator Goodrich is not here. How about 203, 302. Is Senator Brennan about the premises? Senator Rasmussen, the Speaker says that if we don't take the sunset bill now, it goes to the bottom of the list.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, him as the Speaker, I guess, would be his prerogative. There is no way to handle it. If we would do away with the criminal code a morning or two maybe we could get into some of these bills.

PRESIDENT: Would you like to proceed then with LB 257? Senator Rasmussen?

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: No, if the Speaker is upset and wants to do it that way.

PRESIDENT: I'm not going to take any pulses but I want to know if you're going to take this up now?

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Take it up tomorrow morning. I'll bracket it till tomorrow morning.

PRESIDENT: I think that's contrary to what the Speaker said but...

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: I move to bracket it...first thing General File tomorrow.

PRESIDENT: That's a motion. Record your vote on that... Senator Luedtke.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Mr. President, let's just let it be known that that doesn't mean it comes up first because there are other bills that are going to come up tomorrow on General File. Yours will not come up first and putting it over one more time puts it on the bottom of General File anyway.